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MARYVILLE TO PAY HARDING TRIBUTE

MEMORIAL SERVICES AT CHAUTAUQUA TENT FRIDAY MORNING

PLAN FUNERAL MARCH

Patriotic Organizations, Lodges and School Children and Speakers In Procession

Memorial services to pay tribute to the memory of the late President Harding will be held in Maryville next Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the Chautauqua tent on the high school grounds. This is the time for the funeral services and burial to be held at Marion, O., the home of the late president.

A proclamation will be issued tomorrow by Mayor Garrett requesting all business houses to close in the city during the services.

The arrangements for the services were made yesterday afternoon by a committee composed of W. C. Pierce, H. L. Raines, George Robb Ellison and George B. Baker. This committee was selected by the committee chairmen of the two parties.

The plans are as follows:

Funeral march from the federal building to the Chautauqua tent. In the march will be the speakers, the members of the G. A. R. and W. R. C., in automobiles, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the American Legion, the D. A. R., school children and all lodges and civic organizations. The march will form at the federal building at 9:30 o'clock and will leave that place about 9:45 o'clock. The committee in charge of the march and arrangements are: H. L. Raines, Earl Barmann, H. D. Snyder, Mrs. O. C. Hanna, Mrs. D. R. Baker and Hal Hooker.

On arriving at the Chautauqua tent Uel W. Lamkin, president of the State Teachers College, will preside as chairman and will introduce the speaker. Mr. Lamkin has had perhaps more intimate relations with President Harding than any other Maryville person on account of the fact that he was director of vocational education and was located at Washington before coming to Maryville about two years ago.

Several musical selections will be given and the committee in charge of arranging the music is composed of George Robb Ellison, Martin Lewis, Jr., Mrs H. L. Raines, Mrs. R. E. Snodgrass, Miss Jennie Garrett and R. C. Seal.

The platform will be decorated with flags and flowers and the committee in charge of this work is George B. Baker, Mrs. E. G. Orear and Mrs. J. F. Colby.

The speaker and the full program will be announced as soon as it is completed.

The people of the county are invited to attend these services.

The committee requests that all business houses be decorated in mourning and with flags on Friday.

Superintendent T. F. Graham of the Chautauqua gladly consented to let the tent be used for these services.

Hold Short Session of Circuit Court

In the case of Archie E. Musick, et al, vs. Delbert S. Glass, et al, heard in circuit court this morning, a decision was handed down by Judge John M. Dawson awarding judgment for the plaintiffs for $767.21, which was made a lien on the undivided one-half interest in forty acres of land, near Sheridan, Mo. The court found that Alice A. Musick is the owner of an undivided one-half interest in the above described forty acres of land. The forty acres of land was ordered sold and the money divided according to interests of the various parties to the suit. The defendants took an appeal to the Supreme Court and the bond was fixed at $200.

In the case of Edith Glenn vs. Thomas Henry, et al, the case was dismissed and the costs paid.

Dillard Palmer dismissed his suit against Harve Cockayne. The judgment for costs was placed against plaintiff, and the defendant waived the damage on the attachment bond.

The Sheridan Lumber Co., was awarded a judgment of $170 against Delbert S. Glass, et al. A motion was made for a new trial and the cause continued until the next day of circuit court.

Elks Will Attend Service Friday

The members of the Elks lodge will attend the memorial services for the late President Harding Friday morning. According to a notice in today's paper, the members are requested to meet at the club house on Friday morning at 9:15 o'clock and then go in a body to march in the funeral march from the federal building to the Chautauqua tent.

MORE TICKETS ARE SOLD THIS YEAR

ADVANCE SALE AMOUNTED TO $1966.75

GUARANTEE IS MADE

Will Have Opportunity To Go On Super Chautauqua Circuit Next Year —Many Reserved Seats Sold

Tonight

8 o'clock—Concert, Olivar's Filipino Company.

Lecture, Dr. Thomas E. Green, "Twenty years of American history."

Tomorrow

9 o'clock—Junior town

2:30 o'clock—The Cambria Singers.

Lecture, "A Scandal in your town," John H. Booth.

8 o'clock—Grand concert, Cambria Singing Party.

With the advance sale of season tickets amounting to $1966.75, Maryville again went "over the top" this year and exceeded last year's sales by $51. By going over the $1900 mark Maryville will be given an opportunity to be on the super-chautauqua system another year. Eight hundred and one adult season tickets and one hundred and sixty-nine children's tickets were sold this year.

There have been more reserved seats sold up to the present time than were sold during the entire week last year.

The program opened yesterday afternoon when "Bill" Daly, "dirt farmer from Iowa," spoke in a farmer-to-farmer manner, dealing with the problems which confront the agricultural industry and incidentally the whole country. The speaker waived all claims to title or reputation; asked to be accepted as a farmer; placed all the cards on the table, so to speak. Then, interspersing his remarks with apt humor, he presented his ideas. He attempted no flights or oratory nor did he indulge in the sentimental.

His talk was forceful, gathering its strength from the rugged personality of the man, and from the frank homely presentation of ideas. What he said was more appealing than the manner in which he said it. This address or lecture was a departure from the ordinary. It was a departure which might be called unique.

"Barn yard philosophy," "Bill" Daly called his contribution. His contention was that agriculture, the greatest industry in the country and the one which in the final analysis, supports the whole nation, is the least organized of all industries. He argued for organization of the industry, co-operation with the other industries and advertising. He placed greatest stress on the last-mentioned. In presenting his ideas, he substantiated his every contention with statistics which were more than convincing.

Through all, he was firm against radicalism. He held the farmer alone responsible for the present condition in the agricultural world. There is a need of awakening the producer of the country to the fact that he is a business man on a par with any other. He pointed out the fact that Wrigley spends $11,000 every day for advertising chewing gum alone, while the farmers of the country spend not a cent and with a far greater reason for advertising. He told how the raisin industry, the walnut industry and others have within the last several years, increased the demand for their products many fold, by advertising.

Preceding Daly's address, May Valentine's Singing Party gave three selections which were enthusiastically received by the audience.

Last night, the Valentine company appeared in a full concert of classical popular, sacred and old-fashioned melodies. It was a program that every one of the 1100 persons in the audience could appreciate. With wonder

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ALL CREEDS BOW IN SILENT PRAYER

MEMORY OF LATE PRESIDENT HONORED IN SERVICES

QUOTES HIS LAST SPEECH

Harry A. Miller Praises Harding and Coolidge at First M. E. Church—St. Mary's In Silent Prayer

Men of all creeds bowed in prayer and reverence yesterday morning in the church services of the respective Maryville churches. In most of the sermons the untimely death of the President was mentioned and a prayer given for the new chief executive.

"The nation needs a deeper consecration to religion. We need the spirit of the Nazarene in our national life."

This excerpt from the late President's speech at Vancouver, B. C. was used by Harry A. Miller of the College who spoke yesterday morning at the First M. E. Church, in commenting upon Mr. Harding's work and ideals. Mr. Miller paid a high tribute to the memory of Mr. Harding for his Christian ideals as expressed in the Vancouver speech.

In speaking of the new President, Calvin Coolidge, Mr. Miller told of Mr. Coolidge's visit to his mother's and sister's graves for prayer before leaving for Washington, and his asking for the guidance of the Supreme Being in the task before him. "The destiny of our nation is safe in the hands of such a man," declared Mr. Miller. He also mentioned the words of Mr. Coolidge "So help me Almighty God, I will," in taking the oath, which again showed the Christian qualities of the new executive.

The subject of Mr. Miller's sermon was, "Bulwarks of Democracy." He showed that the Bible and the Cross were two outstanding bulwarks, the Bible because it was the book of God, a divine inspiration and a book of life. He pleaded that the nation get back to the simple elements in life as the fundamental things and criticized the flagrance of open disobedience to law and order.

At both services at the St. Mary's church the reverend pastor, Father Lawrence made reference yesterday morning to the premature and lamented death of President Warren G. Harding.

"Catholics" he said "are ever conscious of their patriotic duty. And at a time like this, when the angel of death has visited a nation, we shall not fail to remember prayerfully one who has been so intimately associated with our national destinies. And while we implore a merciful judgment and rest eternal upon him whom in his inscrutable designs the Almighty Father has taken from our midst, we shall remember, too, our new chief executive and pray that he may be blessed with light and strength from above in guiding the destinies of our ship of state."

Pausing for a few moments the priest and people joined in silent prayer for Warren G. Harding and Calvin Coolidge.

The sermon of the Rev. R. E. Snodgrass at the First Christian Church dealt with the "Four-square Christian." and the text used is found in Ezekial 1:10. "The four elements of the Four-square Christian suggested by the beautiful symbolisms of this text are, Personality, Spirit of Fight or Conquest, Service and Affection," said Mr. Snodgrass in opening his sermon.

"It is a wonderful thing to put one's entire personality into any cause that he may espouse. This is necessary to effective Christian service. And today we as a nation mourn the going of our beloved President, in whose life this element of self-sacrifice for a definite cause, was so vividly illustrated." President Harding was one who brings to us in a very forceful way, the lessons of this sermon today. He will surely be classed as one who made the supreme sacrifice for his nation's good. Every element of his personality was thrown into his work.

"In spite of the fact that some of the leading politicians of the nation, some of whom were in his own party, differed with him in his world court and other ideas, he remained true to his convistions, showing the real fighting spirit, an element absolutely necessary if one is to carry to ultimate success any cause.

"This is also evidence din his un-

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2 Maryville Girls go to Lake Geneva Camp

Miss Raines and Miss Hosmer Are Nodaway County's Delegates

Miss Mabel Raines left this morning for Lake Geneva, Wis., where she will attend the Older Girls Conference camp. Camp opens Wednesday morning and continues two weeks. Each day there is a lesson in the morning, recreational hours, study hours and some form of entertainment every evening.

Miss Margaret Louise Hosmer will join Miss Raines at Lake Geneva and these two girls will be Nodaway County's delegates to the camp. This is Miss Raines' third year in camp and Miss Hosmer's first year. It is a four year camp and upon graduation from there a girl is eligible as a leader in the camp next summer.

The officers of the local organization are, president, Miss Florence Turner, Hopkins; vice-president, Miss Eula Miller, Skidmore; secretary, Miss Mabel Raines; and treasurer, Lee Meek for both boys and girls organization.

TOWNSHIPS GRADE STATE HIGHWAYS

MUST BE IN GOOD CONDITION BEFORE TURNED OVER FOR CARE

ALL ARE CO-OPERATING

Dick Kerr Of State Highway Dept. Calls Attention To Disregard of Detour Signs By Public

A number of townships in Nodaway County have been doing grading work on the roads turned over to the state for maintenance. A recent ruling of the highway department makes it necessary that all roads be in good condition before they are turned over to the state for maintenance.

There is grading work being done near Conception and Ravenwood. In Jackson township, grading, is being done from Ravenwood west to the Polk township line. Five miles of work has been done in this township J. E. James said this morning. Nine miles of grading has been completed in Polk township. Part of the state road in Jefferson township was graded last week and more of it will be done this week. In White Cloud township, grading work will be done four miles south to the Andrew County line. The townships of the County have cooperated very well with the maintenance department, Mr. James said.

The grading outfit east of Burlington Junction has not started moving dirt yet but is busily engaged pulling hedge along the right-of-way.

The culvert crew has completed four culverts and has two partially completed.

Dick Kerr, state highway engineer, said this morning that people are rather indifferent to the detour signs and often get in trouble by not observing them.

"These signs are put there for a purpose and the accommodation of the public," Kerr continued. "It was only last week that a man did not heed the detour sign just east of Burlington Junction and he ran into a pole, which was used as a barricade to protect a culvert recently constructed. The radiator of his car was ruined, all because he didn't observe the detour sign."

Kerr also called attention to the danger done by some persons who run over these detour signs, knock them down, and then throw them to one side. When this is done, the safety of the public is endangered and through traffic is seriously inconvenienced.

Special Examinations to be Given Friday

A special examination will be given Friday morning at the office of Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools, to all students in the County who failed in the regular eighth grade examinations last spring. The examinations will start at 8 o'clock and will include all those subjects in which the students failed to pass last spring.

Miss Allie Brown, a member of the May Valentine Singers, was a guest of Miss Halcyon Hooker yesterday. Miss Hooker and Miss Brown are member sof the same sorority at Nebraska University at Lincoln.

COOLIDGE FACES VEXING PROBLEMS

CAN'T AVOID THEM EVEN FOR SHORT TIME

FOUR ARE OUTSTANDING

World Court, Political Appointments, Agricultural Crisis, and Possible Coal Strike, Most Important

Washington, Aug. 6.—Despite the announcement of President Coolidge that matters of administration policies would not be decided until after the funeral of the late President Harding, the nation's new chief was confronted today with a series of political questions.

Besides the Senators and cabinet members that were due to visit him, hour after hour, John R. Adams, chairman of the Republican National Committee was scheduled for an appointment. Matters of policies, both domestic and international, and executive appointments are expected to be discussed. The problems that face the new President are known to involve the President's view on several matters.

Can't Avoid Politics

That it is impossible for him to avoid politics even for the three short days that he has occupied the "White House," was evidenced yesterday by a visit from Senator Frank B. Brandegee, Republican of Conn., an irreconciable leader. The President was closeted with him for three hours.

Other callers, whose visits have savored of politics were: Secretary of State Charles Evan Hughes, William M. Butler, Republican national committeeman of Massachusetts and James B. Reynolds, who managed the Coolidge campaign for the president in 1920.

Four Outstanding Questions

Four questions of national significance, each involving questions of administrative policies, now confront the new President. They are:

First: A definite understanding of the new President's position on the world court in which Harding sought American participation.

Second: The question of political appointments. The impression is rapidly gaining in many channels that there will be important administration changes.

Third: The agricultural crisis. Many quarters are demanding he call a special session to deal with the situation.

Fourth: The question of a coal strike.

The world court problem is probably causing him the greatest worry. It is understood that the policies of the Harding administration will be continued. Should Coolidge endorse the plan it would invoke strong opposition from party leaders.

On the other hand, if the new executive should abandon the plan and reverse the Harding stand, there would undoubtedly be a breach between the White House and the state department with the possible resignation of Secretary Hughes as an anti-climax.

Disapproves Extra Session

President Coolidge is understood to be adverse to calling an extra session to consider farm aid.

Party leaders in favor of such a move, are endeavoring to have congress called early, saying it will work to the advantage of the new executive, giving that much more time in which to set a record before the Republican convention convenes next summer.

In the coal situation the President has already placed himself on record as favoring the resumption of the Atlantic City negotiations.

The history of his actions in, the memorable Boston police strike, when he held that labor had no right to strike when a strike would jeopaordize public safety, is taken as a fair indication of his views on a possible repetition of the strike of last year.

Hundreds Homeless in Spanish Quake

Madrid, August 6—New volcanoes are developing in the mountains of northern Spain following an earthquake which has destroyed several villages, said a dispatch from Bordum today.

Hundreds of persons, made homeless, are living in the open.

Miss May Kissinger returned to her home in Maryville Saturday after spending a month in Kansas City with friends and relatives.

Coolidge Open-Minded About a Special Session

Says Samuel Gompers Following Interview Today—Discussed Labor Problems

Washington, Aug. 6—President Coolidge has an "open mind" on the necessity of calling an extra session of congress, Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, declared today following a half hour conference with the President. Gompers declared that the President had not yet decided to accede to or reject the demand of agricultural interests for an extra session.

Mr. Gompers conferred with the President on the general labor situation and touched upon legislation which would affect the working man. "The President told me," he said, "That he was 'open minded' on the necessity of calling a special session of congress."

"I made an engagement to return for another conference in September, at which time we shall discuss the labor situation and the policies of the Coolidge administration on labor issues," Gompers added.

COOLIDGE EXPECTED TO CHANGE CABINET

POLITICAL CONFERENCES TODAY STARTS RUMORS

SEC. HUGHES MAY LEAVE

Rumor Says Senator Lodge Will Succeed Him—Wm. M. Butler May Succeed At.-Gen. Daugherty

Washington, Aug. 6—Under the pall of gloom President Coolidge today piloted the ship of state through a long series of political conferences in which he met political leaders of every faction and belief.

While his assistants have been busy in a silent preparation for the Harding state funeral, the President gave over hours of his time to conferences with government officials from cabinet members to bureau chiefs.

His most significant conference was held with John R. Adams, chairman of the Republican national committee, and William M. Butler, Republican committeeman from Massachusetts. The trio was closeted in the Presidential suite for more than thirty minutes. When he emerged, Adams refused to discuss the conference in any way.

A few minutes later, Senator Albert B. Cummins of Iowa, one of the late President's warmest friends, and former senator Charles Ralston, frequently mentioned as a possibility to succeed Adams, went into conference with the President. While Cummins announced that they spoke of plans for the state funeral, it was believed that matters of political policies were under discussion.

There was a growing impression today that there would be changes in the cabinet. There has been a rumor that Butler would succeed Attorney-General Daugherty and that Secretary of state Hughes would resign. Rumor has it that Senator Cabot Lodge of Mass., would succeed him. On the whole, it is apparent at least, that Massachusetts would be in the foremost front in the administration.

Mrs. C. C. Moon Dies at Hospital this P. M.

Mrs. Chris C. Moon, forty-six years old died at the St. Francis hospital at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Uremic poisoning was the cause of her death. Besides her husband she is survived by one sister, Mrs. S. E. Moon of Maryville and two brothers, H. L. Parsons of Darlingame, Kan., and E. E. Parsons of Marion, Ia. No funeral arrangements have been made.

Chautauqua Audiences to Have Services

The chautauqua managers association of America in convention at Chautauqua, N. Y., have asked that on the day of the funeral of President Harding, chautauqua audiences rise for a few minutes at same time in the day for silent prayer out of respect to the lamented President. An observance of this kind is planned for the Maryville chautauqua this week.

Miss Velma Appleby returned home this morning after a few days visit with Mrs. John Davis in Tarkio.

FUNERAL TRAIN NOW IN ILLINOIS

PASSES ROCHELLE AT 2:33 THIS AFTERNOON

IS OVER AN HOUR LATE

Reverential Throngs Greet Sorrow Caravan Everywhere In Silent Tribute To Harding

Rochelle, Ill., Aug. 6—The funeral train, bearing the body of the late President, Warren G. Harding, passed through here at 2:33 o'clock this afternoon. Rochelle is seventy miles from Chicago.

Dixon, Ill., Aug. 6—A stop of three minutes was made here when the funeral train of the late President arrived here at 1:51 o'clock, an hour and two minutes late, to permit Dr. Geo. T. Harding, brother of the late President, and Dr. Carl W. Sawyer, son of Brig. Gen. Charles E. Sawyer, who came from Marion to meet the body, to board the train.

Aboard President Harding's funeral train enroute to Washington, Aug. 6—The people of the great Mississippi Valley, upon whom Warren G. Harding, in the full flesh of a vigorous life paid eloquent tribute to a few weeks ago, returned that tribute a thousand fold today as his funeral train sped by upon its sorrowful eastern journey.

In towns, villages, cross-roads, and in the miles and miles of cornfields extending as far as the eye could see on either side, thousands of persons stood uncovered and quietly respectful as the long, black train rushed onward with its heavy load of national grief.

Sometimes the train stopped, sometimes it hardly slackened its speed, but whether it halted or not, at every station and cross-roads was the same silent and reverential throng.

Even in the cornfields along the way farmers halted their work and teams to stand, hand in hand, and bareheaded, thus mutely expressing their sorrow of the untimely passing of him, who a little more than a month ago, had discarded the silk hat and Presidential dignity that he might mingle in a democratic way with farmers in the field and learn first hand of their problems.

From Omaha early this morning the train swept into Iowa and settled down for a day's run and by nightfall will be within the border of President Harding's home state of Ohio, and less than twenty-four hours from the nation's capital.

Mrs. Harding is slowly and methodically gathering her strength for the trying ordeal that awaits her at the Capital and at Marion, where the President's remains will be buried Friday.

A no more difficult week ever confronte dany woman. Realizing this Mrs. Harding is spending most of her time obtaining as much rest as possible against the time when she will stand sorely in need of strength and nerve.

Kansas Governor is Seriously Ill

Topeka, Kan., Aug. 6—The condition of Governor Jonathan M. Davis of Kansas, who is stricken with influenza, showed no improvement today, according to Max Cretcher, his secretary. The executive's temperature stands a fraction above 103. No other symptoms have developed, according to physicians.

The governor complained of not feeling well last week, but would not give up until Saturday. A physician was summoned who pronounced his ailment as influenza. His temperature yesterday stood around 104. There has been no congestion in his lungs. Only members of his family, nurses and physicians are allowed to see him.

THE WEATHER

North portion: local thundershowers this afternoon or tonight, somewhat cooler tonight; Tuesday generally fair. South portion: hnsettled, probably local thundershowers tonight and Tuesday; not so warm Tuesday.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

Ages of the Presidents

The average age of our Presidents at the time they assume office is 49 years, 10 months. Coolidge's age when he took the oath of office was 51 years and 30 days. The following list shows the age of each President at the time he became the nation's chief:

President.	Age.
Washington	57
John Adams	51
Jefferson	57
Madison	57
Monroe	58
J. Q. Adams	57
Jackson	61
VanBuren	54
W. H. Harrison	68
Tyler	51
Polk	49
Taylor	64
Fillmore	50
Pierce	48
Buchanan	65
Lincoln	52
Johnson	56
Grant	46
Hayes	54
Garfield	49
Arthur	50
Cleveland	47
Benjamin Harrison	55
Cleveland (2nd terms)	55
McKinley	54
Roosevelt	42
Taft	51
Wilson	56
Harding	55
Coolidge	51

There are now only two ex-Presidents living, Taft and Wilson.

Nodaway County Has 5,224 Cars

Jefferson City, Aug. 6—That the sale of motor cars is increasing rapidly in Missouri is quite apparent from the August reports of the state motor car department.

At the close of the first half-year period, there were 379,435 licensed motor cars. St. Louis shows the greatest gain in the number of what is known generally as pleasure cars. The increase there for the six months is 15,647, and the total number 85,363.

Kansas City is second with a total number of 51,778 and a gain for the period of 8,966.

Nodaway County has 5,224 cars.

The amount of license collected for the 6-month period ending August 1 was $3,584,742.20, while for the entire 1922 motor car year the collections were $3,497,000.

In addition to the 379,435 pleasure vehicles, there are 40,493 trucks and 2,163 motorcycles.

Twenty-three counties now have more than 3,000 motor cars. They are:

St. Louis	17,584
Jackson	8,824
Bates	3,162
Boone	3,731
Cape Girardeau	3,758
Carroll	3,274
Chariton	3,125
Clay	3,594
Cole	3,295
Lafayette	4,534
Jefferson	3,045
Johnson	3,692
Linn	3,387
Macon	3,933
Marion	4,009
Nodaway	5,224
Randolph	3,591
Ray	3,179
St. Charles	3,179
St. Francois	3,956
Saline	4,402
Vernon	3,187

To Grant City

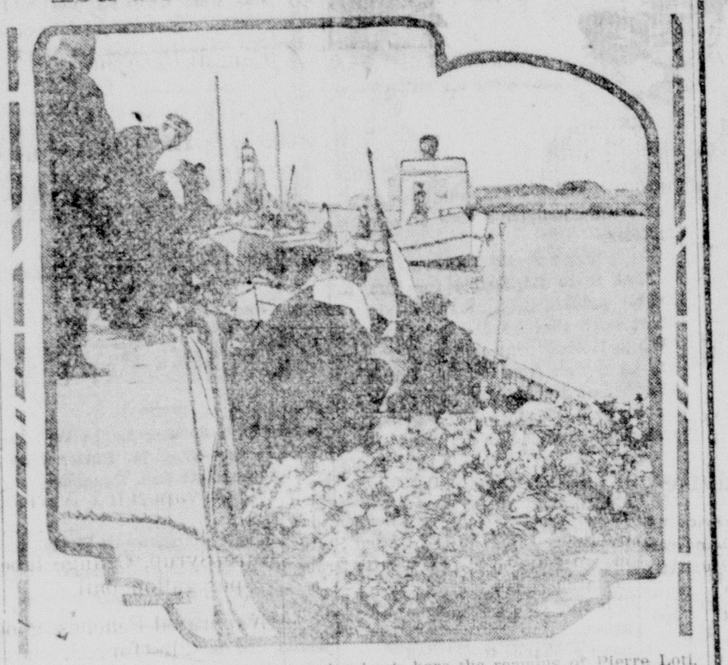
Miss Lucille Beason, who has been the guest of her cousin, Miss Hilda Denny, and her aunt, Mrs. J. S. Clark, for the past few weeks, returned to her home in Grant City this morning. She was accompanied by Miss Hilda Denny and Mrs. Jack Lieser, who will be her guests for a few days.

For over 50 years Sherwin-Williams paints have lead the way, where quality and value count. Sold by Holt Supply Co.

Peg Leg Bossy of Lima, Ohio

When old Bossy lost her right foreleg, amputated because of an infection, her owner, Dr. H. F. Fallor, a veterinary surgeon of Lima, Ohio, decided that a mere missing foreleg shouldn't cause him to destroy an otherwise perfectly serviceable cow. So he rigged up an artificial limb and now Bossy stumps around quite handily on her peg leg.

Loti Borne to the Tomb in a Boat



This unique hearse, a flower-laden boat, bore the remains of Pierre Loti, famous French novelist, to their last resting place. From Rochefort on the west coast of France, his native town, the coffin was escorted by a naval detachment to the Island of Oleron where he had already prepared his own last resting place.

Forumettes

The man who is the
Best boss is the one
Who never seems to
Be doing any bossing.

The man who is a dead one seldom is alive to that fact.

A friend at a local grocery tells us he has sold three can openers to one of the recent June brides.

The sneeze of the hayfeverites is heard in the land and drug stores and handkerchief counters are doing good business.

We read the other day that the people in London were shocked by the pictures of some of the lady tennis players which creep into the papers. Wonder what they would do if they saw the pictures of the American bathing beauties we see in print nearly every day.

If women were as particular in picking out their husbands as they are in selecting their wedding garments there would be fewer marriages and many less divorces, a lawyer friend observed to us the other day.

Uncle Abner says too many people try to make a poor rule work both ways at once.

Clean straw hats are appearing on Maryville streets in great numbers now that the slashed prices are in effect.

A lot of men can see nothing objectionable in women smoking until their wives or daughters take up the habit and then it is a different story.

Today's mail brought another list of titles of old time songs from a reader of the Forumettes. Here they are: "Ponny Boy," "Just Because She Made Dem Goo Goo Eyes," "Under the Bamboo Tree," "Just as the Sun Went Down," "Hiawatha," "Two Little Girls in Blue," "Please Go Away and Let Me Sleep," "I am the Man Who Left the Town With Coxey's Army," "After the Ball," "In My Merry Oldsmobile," "On a Bicycle Built for Two," "Get out and Get Under," "In the Good Old Summer Time," "In the Shade of the Old Apple Tree," "Why don't You Try?" "Down by the Old Mill Stream," "Mr. Dooley" and "Tammany."

Louise, the stenographer, says just because a person has a weak voice is no sign he can't use strong language.

The old fashioned girl of yesterday who used to blush with shame when she thought of the few clothes she sometimes wore about the house in doing work in hot weather lives anew in the girl of today who goes out on the street in a sight less and never bats an eye.

A tramp came to the rear door of a Maryville newlywed and the bride recognized him as the hobo to whom she gave a piece of her cake a few weeks ago. "Are you not the same man I gave a big piece of cake to a while ago?" she asked. "No" he sadly replied "the doctor says I never will be."

Just stop and reflect how many mean things did you do and say today which were not called for!

Vagrant Musings

The only reason a lot of us never make fools of ourselves is because nature beat us to it.

Giving a man credit has kept many a fellow from getting ahead.

The greatest knowledge is knowing where to find what you want when you want it.

The greatest enemy you have is the friend who does not tell you about it when you are headed the wrong way.

Today's Vaudeville Patter

Biff—I read the other day that women make good electrical engineers.

Bang—Sure they are not so easily shocked these days.

Charles Bellows, Jr. Home

Charles Bellows, Jr., returned home yesterday morning from Madison, Wis., where he was graduated from the University there last week.

Week End Guests

Mr. and Mrs. William N. Deatherage had as their week-end guests, Miss Lillien Wright and Joseph Porter of Kansas City.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads

August Clean-Up Bargains

All Summer Merchandise must leave our store regardless of price.

Colored Wash Goods

One big lot of colored wash dress goods worth up to 50c per yard including tissues, fancy organdies, dimities, etc., now per yard only **19c**

One lot of fine imported ratine, a large collection of colors now at per yard only **69c**

All other colored wash goods in fine tissues, dimities, voiles, etc., now at ONE-THIRD OFF of the regular price.

Knit Underwear

This is the season of the year that we are anxions to reduce the stock of Summer Knit Underwear.

An excellent quality now in ladies' union suits in all styles and all sizes at each only **50c**

$1.00 Union Suits now only 79c
$1.50 Union Suits now only $1.19
$2.00 Union Suits now only $1.49
25c Vests now only 19c
35c Vests now only 23c
50c Vests now only 39c
60c Vests now only 45c
75c Vests now only 55c

All children's Underwear now ONE-FOURTH OFF.

Summer Wash Dresses

Buy a Summer Wash Dress now at these Clean-Up August Prices.

All Wash Dresses selling up to $12.50 now only **$5.00**

All Wash Dresses selling up to $21.50 now only **$9.50**

All other summer Wash dresses at exactly ONE-HALF PRICE.

New Fall Merchandise

New Fall merchandise is arriving everyday. We have already received great assortments of new dresses, cloaks, suits, etc. Drop in the store any day and see the new arrivals as they come in.

Table Cloths

An excellent quality of heavy weight, napproof mercerized table cloth in pure white with white, pink blue and gold border, size 50x54 inches now each only **$1.75**

The heavy weight blue and white Japanese table cloths, now at very low prices.

48x48 inch sizes, each only ... $1.50
60x60 inch size, each only ... $2.00
72x72 inch size, each only ... $2.75
12x12 inch napkins, only per doz. $1.48

64 inch mercerized full bleached table damask now only per yard **49c**

Silks

Here are some real bargains in this August Clean-up Sale of Silks.

40 inch Thrushette or All-Tyme Crepe in a large range of colors, our regular $2.75 quality, now only per yard **$2.00**

40 inch Crepe de Chine, the best quality that can be bought for anywhere near the price now only per yard **$2.00**

40 inch Canton Crepe, you cannot buy a better quality anyplace, now only per yard **$3.50**

Towels

We are offering some of the biggest bargains in towels we have offered for some time.

17x34 inch huck towel pure white, now each only **12½c**

15x30 inch Turkish bath towels now each only **15c**

18x36 inch Turkish towels, excellent quality only **25c**

24x48 double thread extra heavy bath towels, a real bargain now only **50c**

28x56 inch, the finest quality extra large size bath towels worth regular $1.25 ,now each only **89c**

Sweaters

Your choice of any of our Spring and Summer Sweaters including wool, silk, fibre sweaters, etc., now at exactly ONE-HALF PRICE.

Cotton Goods and Domestics

These staple goods of every day usage now at exceedingly low prices for this August Clean-up.

40 inch extra heavy excellent quality unbleached muslin, now only per yard **16½c**

36 inch good quality unbleached muslin now only per yard **14c**

"Daisy" or "Hope", the two of the finest qualities of staple bleached muslin on the market now only per yard **14½c**

"Wearwell" or "Pepperall," either of these well-known popular brands of wide sheetings in both bleached or unbleached at real bargain prices.

7-4 or 63 inch now only per yard 45c
8-4 or 72 inch now only per yard 49c
9-4 or 81 inch now only per yard 53c
10-4 or 90 inch now only per yd. 57c

36 inch full bleached Cambric muslin, this cloth is excellent for children's wear and all kinds of ladies Underwear, a real bargain, now at only per yard **22c**

The very best quality Amoskeag apron check gingham in most any size check you could desire in blue, brown, black, or green only per yard **16c**

32 inch Zephyr dress gingham, the kind that is sun and tub proof in a large range of the newest patterns, now only per yard **23c**

32 inch Romper Cloth, this is a wonderful cloth for children's dresses, rompers, ladies' aprons, skirts, etc., now only per yard **29c**

The very best quality of Cheviot Shirtings in stripe patterns, or the plain blue and grey now only per yard **19c**

Sheets

Here is a real bargain in an extra fine heavy weight Everlasting sheet, 81x90 inches in size now each only **$1.49**

Toweling

17 inch all linen toweling with white, red or blue border now only per yard **19c**

Haines

The Biggest Little Store in the United States

SOCIETY

Bloomfield Needlework Club

The Bloomfield Needlework Club will meet Thursday, August 9, with Mrs. Bryan Hanna as hostess.

Todd Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Todd entertained at 12 o'clock dinner today at their home, 613 North Market street. Covers were laid for T. F. Graham, Dr. Thomas E. Green, Genevieve, Mary and Winifred Todd and the hosts.

Friendship Club Meeting

The Friendship club will meet Thursday, August 9, with Mrs. Clarence O'Banion.

H. K. G. Club Meeting

The H. K. G. Club will meet Thursday, August 9, with Mrs. W. E. Bloomfield as hostess.

Picnic At Country Club

A number of Maryville people enjoyed a picnic at the Country Club yesterday evening. Those in the party included Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Eek. N. Sisson, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flynn of Kansas City, Miss Clara Sturm and Dr. Frank Wallis.

Entertained at Shenandoah

In honor of her house guests, Miss Thelma Tobin of DeQueen, Ark., and the Misses Lillian and Katherine Carpenter of Maryville, Mo., Mrs. Fleming Carpenter entertained at a bridge party at her home Friday afternoon. The players surrounded four tables with Mrs. Ben Brower awarded high score prize and Miss Tobin the guest prize. Garden flowers decorated the rooms. Lunch was served following the playing with Mrs. E. D. Roscoe and Mrs. Bert Levine assisting in serving.—Shenandoah Daily World.

Frank Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Frank entertained at 6 o'clock dinner Saturday evening. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bellows of Chicago, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hosmer and daughter, Betty, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bellows and daughter, Emma Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bellows and son, Charles, J. R. Brink, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bellows, Mr. and Mrs. William N. Deatherage and their guests, Miss Lillien Wright and Joseph Porter of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Conrad, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Roseberry and daughters, Laura Phoebe and Esther, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frank, Miss Eva Margaret Frank and the hosts.

Merry Mingler Club

The Merry Mingler Club was entertained Thursday by Mrs. Fisher Mercer and Miss Katherine Mercer. In a contest Miss Mina Armstrong won a prize. In an apple contest held upon the lawn the team chosen by Mrs. Russell Smock defeated their opponents, chosen by Mrs. Will Thornhill. Refreshments were served. Those assisting were Mrs. Edith Headrick, Mrs. Geo. Irwin and Mrs. Washington Mercer. The date of the next meeting wil lbe decided later. The members present were Miss Mina Armstrong, Mrs. Chas. DeNeen, Miss Hester DeNeen, Mrs. Henry Jaeger, Miss Theresa Jaeger, Mrs. Anna Marsh, Miss Edith Marsh, Mrs. Rube Ross, Mrs. A. B. Stiens, Mrs. Will Stiens, Mrs. Russell Smock, Mrs. Tom Tallon, Mrs. Will Thornhill, Mrs. Fred Wallace, Mrs. John Wallace, Mrs. Mary Edwards, Mrs. Fred Horn. The visitors present were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Irwin, Mrs. Edith Headrick, Mrs. John Dick and daughter, Manilla, Mrs. Walter Dickey and son Bert Weston, Mr. Charles DeNeen, Mr. Russell Smock, Misses Genevieve and Mary Tallon, Bernadine and Margaret Jaeger, Dorothy DeNeen, Opal Fern Wallace, Roberta Horn, Wilma and Elizabeth Thornhill, Elenor Haigwood, Ralph Edwin Mercer, Mrs. Wash. Mercer, Mr. Fisher Mercer and the hostesses.

The L. I. Club

The L. I. Club was entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Loren Gillespie. Piecing on a quilt was the work for the afternoon. Piano selections were given by Miss Valta Ringgold. This club accepted an invitation by Mrs. Carl Burke to meet with the Worth While Club which meets at her home Aug. 9. Mrs. Burke being a former member of that club. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by her daughter, Pauline. The next meeting will be Aug. 16 with Mrs. Rufus Ringgold. Roll call to be answered with quotations and a misscellaneous program to be given. One visitor was present, Miss Hildred Burke. The members present were Mrs. Carl Burke, Mrs. Delbert Florea, Mrs. Rufus Ringgold, Mrs. Clarence Pope, Mrs. Ida Morris, Mrs. Loren Gillespie, Misses Valta Ringgold, Maude Pope, Ethel Morris, Pauline and Gail Gillespie.

Tarkio Guest Leaves

Mrs. Mary Spellman of Tarkio, who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. W. M. Donahue for the past week, went to St. Joseph this morning for a visit with her nephew, J. P. Farley.

On Three Weeks Vacation

Miss Alice Donahue, book-keeper at the J. C. Penney store left yesterday for a three weeks vacation trip in Nebraska, Kansas City, Pleasant Hill and St. Joseph.

Hamilton Guests Here

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Drumm and children, Pearl and Ruby of Hamilton, Mo., are guests of Mrs. Drumm's sister, Miss Epha Drumm for a few days.

New Salesman At Bee Hive

G. H. Powers has taken a position with the Bee Hive Shoe store. He has been a vocational student at the State Teachers College for the past two terms.

Chicago Guests Here

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bellows and children, Helen Marie and Marjorie of Chicago, arrived in Maryville Friday for a visit with Mrs. Bellows' father, J. R. Brink and other relatives.

On Vacation Trip

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Richey will leave the last of this week for Liberty, Mo., where they will visit a few days with Miss Mary Bell. From there they will go to Excelsior Springs for a couple of days.

On St. Joseph Market

The Bank of Skidmore sold 3 cars of hogs, E. Boyer, Frost & Frost, J. L. Teson, White & McDonald, Nodaway county, sold a car shipment of hogs on the St. Joseph Market Saturday—St. Joseph Live Stock Journal.

Modern Highway Opened Through Canadian Rockies

Difficulties of the famous Banff trail have disappeared with the opening of the modern highway connecting British Columbia with Alberta. Governor Brett of Alberta (left) and Lieutenant Governor Nichol of British Columbia are shown cutting the barrier on the line between the two provinces. In the center is J. H. King, minister of public works.

New York Regiment Reviewed by General Pershing

The 1,200 officers and men of the One Hundred and Sixth infantry, wartime successor to the historic old Twenty-third New York, encamped at Peekskill, N. Y., being inspected and reviewed by General Pershing and Maj. Gen. Charles W. Berry, new commander of the Twenty-seventh division. The insert shows General Pershing congratulating General Berry on the appearance of the regiment.

70 Patients Paroled from Nevada Hospital

Institution Now Has 746 Male Patients and 638 Female Patients—Many Are Working

Nevada, Mo., Aug. 6—Seventy patients are now paroled from the State Hospital No. 3, located at Nevada, Mo. There are now in the hospital 746 male patients and 638 female patients; of these 394 work in the industrial departments and 538 are working in the hospital as maids and janitors.

Within the past two years 428 men and 273 women have been admitted to this hospital.

In the last two years 3,433 patients have been admitted into all six eleemosynary institutions of Missouri. There are now 6,055 patients in the hospitals, with 868 officers and employees. The expenditures for the past two years for the six eleemosynary institutions was $3,805,905. There has been added eight new buildings to the different institutions.

In all the hospitals there are 943 private patients. These patients have to pay $20 a month which is their only expenses while in the hospitals.

View Borne Out in Harding's Death

Washington, D. C. Aug. 6—The death of President Harding, following upon the physical collapse of President Wilson, has directed attention to the almost prophetic statements of Woodrow Wilson, made in his book, "Constitutional Government," which was writte nin 1908, or nearly five years before he became President.

Commenting upon the manifold duties of a President of the United States and the tremendous strain under which a President must necessarily labor, Mr. Wilson wrote:

"Men of ordinary physique and discretion cannot be President and live, if the strain be not somehow relieved We shall be obliged always to be picking our chief executives from among the wise and prudent athletes, a small class."

To Lake Geneva Wednesday

Miss Margaret Louise Hosmer, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Chicago for the past few weeks, will go to Lake Geneva Wednesday to attend the Older Girls Conference camp there. She is the delegate from the local organization in this county.

East On Vacation

Miss Hilda Lahr and Miss Marie Bluel left last night for Philadelphia, Pa., Ocean City, N. J., and other eastern points where they will spend a three weeks vacation. At Philadelphia they will visit their uncle, Frank Buhler.

Miss Juno Jones, an employee of the D. E. Hotchkin store is taking a two weeks vacation.

Co-Operative Between Farmers is Advised

By Congressman L. J. Dickinson In Special Interview With Democrat-Forum Representative—Must Regulate Production

"There are solutions for the present farm problems" said Congressman L. J. Dickinson of Mount Ayr, Ia., in a special interview with a Democrat-Forum reporter this afternoon. "They are co-operative marketing and a regulation of production of farm products," Mr. Dickinson is chairman of the Farm Bloc in the House.

"With wheat and corn selling for about the same price, there is but one thing for the farmer to do and that is raise less wheat and more corn. Prices will be controlled largely through the control of production."

The Iowa congressman called attention to the high freight rates and declared that water transportation was the only solution of this problem. By creating water transportation to care for the shipment of products from the producer to the consumer, a competitive system of rate-making would naturally follow. Water transportation, being cheaper, would force freight rates down, if the deferential rate clause of the railroads is repealed by Congress. This clause tends to favor sectional rates; that is, freight rates along the Mississippi River could be made far cheaper than in other sections of the United States in order to keep down water transportation.

If this clause was repealed by Congress, water transportation would have a chance to develop.

By co-operative marketing, costs could be greatly reduced to the individual farmer, and large warehouses provided for the storing of farm products until satisfactory price was made.

However, Congressman Dickinson told a Democrat-Forum reporter, the situation looked far more optimistic than it did a year or so ago. The farmer will gradually receive more and more for his farm products until a general price adjustment is made.

1.42 of an Inch Rain

Maryville got 1.42 of an inch rainfall since Saturday, J. R. Brink, weather observer, said today. Saturday night's rain registered .59 of an inch and last night's rain measured .83 of an inch.

Mrs. J. J. Turner returned to her work at the Graham store this morning after a three weeks vacation.

Good Rain Reported in County Today

A good rain fell this morning in the Northwest part of the county, according to Judge E. T. Bailey of near Elmo and Judge C. E. Walker of Burlington Junction, who came to Maryville today to hold a session of the Nodaway County Court. Judge Bailey said the rain at Elmo was more than it was here. Judge Bailey said in the rain storm last Saturday morning the wind blew some of his corn down.

Prof A. J. Cauffield of the College faculty left today to spend several weeks with his parents and other relatives at Tyrrell, Ohio.

TOWNSENDS
MAIN AT FOURTH

Make Your Dollars do DoubleDuty. Buy Your Table Delicacies at this Store on

Tuesday and Wednesday

Old Wheat Flour that has real quality, High Chief, 48 lbs. for $1.50

Fancy Cream High Patent, 48 lbs. for $1.45

Economy Warranted, 48 lbs. for $1.35

Fig Bar Cookies (fresh) per lb 20c

Cand H Cane Sugar 25lb sacks for $2.25
10lb sacks for 95c

6 oz. Bottles Waukesha Ginger 10c

Post Toasties or Kellogg's Corn Flakes, big pkgs. 11c

Kellogg's Bran Flakes, 3 pkgs. for 25c

Post Bran Flakes, per pkg. 11c

Gallon Pails White Karo Syrup 60c

2lbs. Evaporated Apricots for 25c

Karo Syrup, Orange label, 75c per gallon pail.

Evaporated Peaches, good big ones, 2lb for 25c

Mustard Sardines, 15c cans for 10c

Big Oval Cans California Sardines 2 for 25c

2 tall Cans Alaska Salmon, for 25c

½lb flat Cans Alaska Salmon, 3 for 25c

35c pound cans Calumet Baking Powder for 25c

Iowa Sugar Corn, per can .. 9c

Morrell's Lean Bacon, per lb 22½c

Forsyth's Best Hams, half or whole, per lb 19½c

Good Potatoes, per bushel 90c
peck 25c

Del Monte Dry Pack Prunes in tins, fancy selected fruit,
5lb tins, ... 75c
2lb tins 35c

Bread any Maryville Baked 2 loaves for 15c

Prices on all California and North Western Canned Fruits greatly reduced for 1923 pack. 25 to 40 per cent cheaper than heretofore. You can now buy by the case with assurance that you are buying worth the money.

Big Size No. 3 Jars Fruit Jams for 30c

Red Pimentos, big cans, 20c size, 2 for 25c

Murdock's Mustard (very best you can buy) 2 jars 15c

Bulk Macaroni, 3lbs for 25c

Nickel Plate Coffee—Fresh every week. Nickel Plate quality is superb. With Nickel you make 10 cups more to the pound. Nickel Plate is equally good served hot or ice cold, 35c for 1lb can; $1.00 for 3lb cans.

Empire Theatre

Tonight and Tomorrow

CHARLES CHAPLIN, in "PILGRIM"

10c Also another comedy 27c and 3c

Wednesday and Thursday

MARION DAVIES, in "WHEN KNIGHTHOOD WAS IN FLOWER"

10c 36c and 4c

Friday

BUCK JONES, in "SNOWDRIFT"

10c Also Comedy 22c and 3c

Saturday

DOROTHY DALTON, in "DARK SECRETS"

10c Also comedy 22c and 3c

A PLEASANT PLACE FOR GENTLE FOLKS.

Notice

The Groves cemetery, 2½ miles northwest of Graham, will be cleaned

Friday, August 10

Everyone interested are invited to come, with well filled baskets. Bring sharp scythes and other weapons to kill the weeds.

By order of Committee.

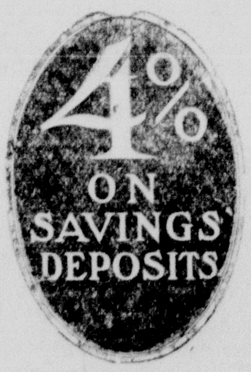
FRESH CUT FLOWERS for any occasion.
ENGELMANN'S SPECIALTY
at all seasons of the year.

THE VALUE OF SAVING

"Save surely, steadily and wisely, so as to be able to spend judiciously in a time of need which will probably be greater than that of the present."

We welcome new accounts of One Dollar or more. We have a Bank Book waiting for you.

Oldest bank in the county. More than fifty years of service. Liberty Bonds bought and sold.



NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
Maryville, Mo.

The Right Way!

There's no better method of reaching the people than thru the Want Ads. Everybody reads them, for they are news to those who seek something and likewise news to those having something to sell.

Use the Want Ads more—for any purpose—and we are satisfied that you will be gratified by the results.

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MORE TICKETS ARE SOLD THIS YEAR

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ful appreciation of a music-loving audience, the Valentine company kept faith with the people of Maryville in a thoroughly enjoyed repertoire.

The personnel of the Chautauqua this year includes: Superintendent T. F. Graham, Miss Alice Kitto, Sioux City, Ia., Junior Chautauqua supervisor; C. L. Meyer, reserved seat man, Martin Aasgard, Forest City, Iowa, gate man; Tom Hershey, Coe College, Cedar Rapids, Ia., property man; Dave Alderton, Canton, Mo., set-up man. Mr. Aasgard left this morning for his home on account of illness.

T. F. Graham, platform manager, announced yesterday afternoon that M. Alexander Schwartz who is scheduled to speak here at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon, was taken seriously ill at Mount Pleasant, Ia., and in all probability will not be able to fill his engagement here. If it impossible for him to be here, arrangements have been made with Krekor Gaghdigian, an Americanized Armenian, to speak on, "The Making of an American."

Mrs. Elizabeth Howland and daughter, May and son, Ed, will leave tomorrow morning for Denver, Colo. where they will visit Mrs. Howland's son, H. R. Howland and Mrs. Howland for several weeks.

Leaving For Colorado Wednesday

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Garrett and children, Ena June and Jack, will leave in their car Wednesday for Colorado.

"I Love Me"

I HAVE made it possible for many to stop paying rent and buy a home of their own.

I HAVE places a-plenty for those housemaids who have good references and are experienced.

I WILL speedily find a good job for the waitress who is capable and who is looking for steady work.

I CAN find someone for you who will buy your business or realty that is for sale.

I WILL get a cashier for your business or other workers for positions of trust.

I CARRY the call for dependable household workers from scores of housewives who call upon me for aid.

I AFFORD a complete directory, revised right up to date, of the available places for household servants.

I WILL bring to your kitchen a chef or a cook as well as other workers for pantry or kitchen.

I AM glad to aid the housewife who wants capable servants and summon a cook at once.

I HAVE shown many the key to splendid opportunities in business through the Wants.

I WILL carry your call for an employe to represent you on the road direct to the best workers.

I URGE you to Phone 42 when you have anything to sell, rent, exchange or buy—when you want anything—or call at the office of the Democrat-Forum, the paper that everybody reads.

Yours for Co-Operation,

Mr. W. Ad

"Economic Adjustor" of the Democrat Forum Neighborhoods

GOLF TOURNEY PLANS ANNOUNCED

CONTEST WILL CONSIST OF FOUR CLASSES

TURN IN BEST SCORES

To Committee by Next Monday—32 Men Having Lowest Score Will be Put in Championship Class

During this week the preliminaries of the Second Annual Championship Golf Tournament will be run by the Maryville Country Club. The tournament committee requests that all members, men and women, turn in their best scores during this week, that the members may be placed in their proper class.

The present contest will consist of four classes, three for the men and one for the women. The winner of the championship class wil have his name engraved on the beautiful cup which was given by the Golfers Magazine. The winner of the ladies contest will have her name engraved on the second cup which was donated by the same people. In addition to this the winners of each one of the four contests will receive four Silver King golf balls, and two Silver King golf balls will be given to the member taking second place in each contest.

It is hoped that every member of the Country Club will take part in this tournament, as it will be a regular elimination contest.

All qualifying scores should be turned in to the committee by oMnday morning August 13. The thirty-two men having the lowest score will be put in the championship class, and after the first round of the championship class, the sixteen losers will be put into class A. All members failing to qualify in the first thirty-two places will be put in class B.

The ground rules will be the same for this contest as that of the contest held recently.

Reed Services to be Held at B. J. Tuesday

J. A. Reed died at 5 o'clock Sunday morning at his home near Quitman, following an illness of seventeen weeks. Inflammation of the brain, which was superinduced by an illness of flu last winter, was the cause of death. The funeral will be held at at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon at the the Methodist church in Burlington Junction and the Rev. Ernest P. Taggart of the Christian Church will officiate. Members of the Masonic Lodge will assist in the service. Mr. Reed was 47 years old and had lived near Burlington Junction and Quitman for a number of years. For the last six years the family had occupied the farm of J. Ed Costello of Maryville located near Quitman. His widow and five children, four sons and one daughter, survive. They are Horace, Harry, Alton, and William Reed and Bessie Reed, all living at home.

Other immediate relatives are three sisters, Mrs. Ruth Bentley, Carmen, Okla., Mrs. Anna Wherry, Beatrice, Neb.; and Mrs. Mattie Bollinger, Dayton, Ohio; and one brother, Walter Reed, Beatrice, Neb. Mrs. Bentley and Mr. Reed will attend the funeral.

Ralph Hahn Heads Junior Chautauqua

Junior Chautauquaopened this morning and officers and commissions were elected. Ralph Hahn is mayor of Junior town and a law and order commission, a service commission, a health commission, and a thrift commission were elected. Parts were given out for the pageant, "Her Family on Display", which is to be given Saturday afternoon.

Miss Alice Marie Kittoe of Sioux City, Ia., has charge of the junior work and said that she was more than pleased with the large number that attended the opening morning. Despite the weather, ninety children were present.

Hartnesses To Wyoming

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hartness, Jack Hartness and Paul Whaley will leave in their car Wednesday for Douglas, Wyo., where they will visit their daughters, Mrs. Melvine Neal and Mr. Neal, and Miss Iva Hartness.

On Northern Trip

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Colbert, Ned Colbert, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Corwin and Miss Mae Corwin will leave Wednesday in the Corwin car for Duluth, Minn. From there they will visit at various points in Canada. Miss Corwin will return to Duluth and remain there for a couple months. The rest of the party will return via Chicago and from there Mrs. Colbert will go to Indiana for a visit with relatives.

Community Building

SAVING THE OLD SHINGLES

Nothing Gained by Their Removal, Is the Verdict Delivered by a Building Expert.

Home owners planning to repair or recover their shingle roofs are urged to save their old shingles, in a statement issued by J. M. Berdan, Detroit building expert.

"Of the 25,000,000 buildings in the United States," said Mr. Berdan, "not quite 5,250,000 still have wooden roofs. Of these wooden roofs, our field agents report that nearly a million are in need of repair, on account of the fact that many of these repair jobs have been long deferred. Just how the owners of these roofs go about having the work done, particularly in the midst of the greatest building boom since 1909, will depend the expenditure or saving of a large sum of money.

"The conventional method in giving a house with shingles a new roof is to rip off the old shingles and to lay the new roof on the old furring strips. This means mussing up lawns and shrubbery, filling the upper floors of the house with dirt and dust, and running the chance of getting caught in a sudden storm with no roof on the house. In addition, of course, is the cost of the labor for ripping the shingles off.

"These risks and expenses can be avoided by laying the new roof right over the old shingles. Whatever the material of the old roof, whether asphalt or wooden shingles, the new roof will be cheaper to lay and will offer a better insulation for the house; making it cooler in summer and warmer in winter. The additional weight is easily supported, though in some cases it may be necessary to brace the rafters.

"Home owners will spare themselves trouble and money by leaving the old wooden shingles in their places."

TWO METHODS OF GARDENING

Householder With Small Plot of Ground Must Follow Intensive Plan to Get Best Results.

The intensive gardener has his soil as fertile as possible, spaces the rows closely and follows one crop by another the same year as often as possible. Onion sets are thrust into the ground wherever there is a vacant space, radishes are grown between rows of carrots and parsnips and are gone before the later crops need the space. Lettuce appears between cabbage rows and even between plants in the row, and peas and early turnips are removed in time for late snap beans.

The extensive gardener, on the other hand, to whom time and labor are more of an item than land, lays out his garden with long straight rows spaced far enough apart for horse cultivation, or at least for easy wheel-hoe work. He need not feed his soil so heavily nor does he pay so much attention to intercropping and succession crops as the man who has more time than ground.

The "Undesirable Citizen."

Of course, in all towns as well as in all cities there are men who can talk biggest when they are away from home where they are not known. Generally these are men who shirk duty and dodge responsibility, never contributing as they should to community progress. There are even those who seek to retard progress and seem to take greatest satisfaction in the failure of public effort to develop the town in the largest possible degree. These men are conspicuous but they are conspicuous not in the way that citizens are who endeavor to discharge their every civic and political obligation. They are more conspicuous in small towns than they would be in great cities, for there they would go practically unnoticed. Yet conspicuousness in small towns has its compensation, for the fellow who won't go along until he is compelled to go can easily be reckoned with in one way or another.—Grit.

To Seek Rare Orchids.

In an effort to make the orchid collection of the Missouri Botanical garden one of the largest in the world, an expedition of floriculturists will go to Colombia, South America, in search to obtain additional plants, it was announced.

The varieties, cattleya trianae and cattleya schroederae, of the mauve variety are the species especially sought, it was explained. In addition the party will search for rare species.

The quarantine against importation of foreign plants maintained by the Department of Agriculture to prevent importation of injurious insects will be lifted for the expedition, it is said.

Michigan City's Error.

The city manager of Mount Pleasant, Mich., figures that it will have cost that city $39,750 to retire its $15,000 water improvement bonds issued in 1892, owing to failure to make proper provision for retirement by serial bond or sinking-fund method.—Chicago Daily News.

Teaching Business Administration.

In Evansville, Ind., the chamber of commerce and Evansville college have been co-operating in giving community courses in business administration.

Coolidge Noted For Brevity And Oddities Of Manner

New York, Aug. 6—Since the Boston police strike in 1919, the character and habits of Calvin Coolidge have become a legend of Massachusetts and very few Bay Staters have not at least one anecdote to tell about the thirtieth President.

Some are unquestionably true, others perhaps not, but all have done their share toward making the state's most silent governor one of its most interesting figures. The stories below are some of the most familiar:

When Coolidge's class was graduated from Amherst its members voted for the classmate who seemed most likely to succeed in life. With one exception, Dwight W. Morrow, now a partner in J. P. Morgan & Company, was the unanimous selection. The dissenting vote, Mr. Morrow's, went for Calvin Coolidge.

Mr. Coolidge had been "going with" his wife for more than a year and had never once hinted at sentimentality. One afternoon he appeared at her house and without a word of greeting remarked:

"We are going to get married."

They were married that afternoon.

A Massachusetts manufacturer called on Governor Coolidge to advocate a certain law. He talked steadily for an hour, then stopped.

"Is that all?" asked the governor.

"Why yes," said the manufacturer.

"Good morning," said Mr. Coolidge, and turned to his desk.

The caller left the office, disappointed and angry, but a week later he read the governor's speech urging the passage of the law and employing the essence of the manufacturer's arguments.

The President's coldness has been almost as well advertised as his taciturnity, but personal friends of his family say that when away from Plymouth, Mr. Coolidge never has failed to write to his father at least twice a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge were invited to spend a few days with one of Mrs. Coolidge's friends on Cape Cod. Mr. Coolidge appeared at seven meals and made three remarks—one, "May I have some butter, please?" and two, "No, thank you." The President has never failed to save at least ten per cent of each salary installment and he says that during his first months of work his customary food allowance for Friday's supper and Saturday's breakfast was twenty-five cents.

One of the first stories to be circulated about the President's absence of speech and his shyness dates back to his first job in a law office in Northampton. In his last year at college he won a gold medal offered by the Sons of the American Revolution to students all over the country for the best essay on "The Principles of the American Revolution." Young Coolidge had said nothing to his employers about winning this medal and one of them, chancing to hear of it, asked him:

"Is it true that you really won a medal in competition with boys from all over the country?"

"Yes, sir" the youth replied.

"I suppose your folks were pretty proud of you?" his employer inquired and was dumbfounded by the answer:

"Well, er—I don't think they know. I haven't told them about it. May be I had better tell father."

The inaugural speech of Mr. Coolidge as president of the senate in Massachusetts has been likened to Lincoln's Gettysburg address. The speech in full was:

"Honorable senators: My sincerest thanks I offer you. Conserve the firm foundation of our institutions. Do your work with the spirit of a soldier in the public service. Be loyal to the commonwealth and to yourselves. And be brief. Above all things—be brief."

A newspaper woman who once went to interview Mrs. Coolidge treasures this one:

When she arrived at the home she was met by the then vice-president. She told him her mission and he replied:

"Go right ahead. She will be glad to see you and to make you feel at home. Tell her to make you some biscuits."

Above the fireplace in the Coolidge home in Northampton is a framed verse which the President has adopted as his life motto. The verse, which might have come out of a Mother Goose book of jingles, is this:

A wise old owl lived in an oak;
The more he saw the less he spoke,
The less he spoke the more he heard;
Why can't we be like that old bird?

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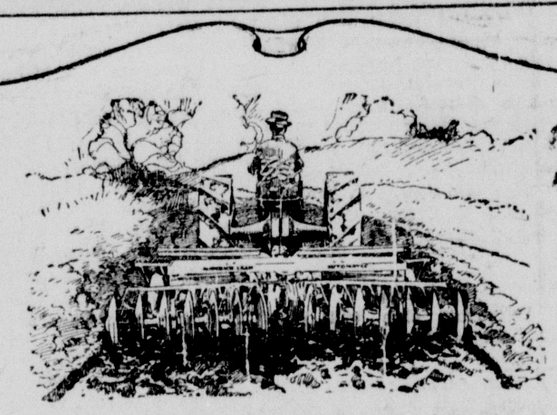

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Cleanliness--- A Modern Idea

SHORTLY before the Civil War, Boston made it a prison offense to take a bath except on the advice of a physician. The Philadelphia Council tried to make it illegal to bathe between November 1 and March 15 and failed by one vote. Virginia placed a luxury tax of $30 on each bathtub in the state.

Ideas regarding cleanliness have changed materially since then. In fact, ideas on almost everything have undergone something of a metamorphosis. Today, these changes are taking place more rapidly than ever before. There has never been a time when evolution hit such a furious pace—when conditions changed so quickly—when standards of living were raised so consistenly.

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LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at The Democrat-Forum office: Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattle Mortgage with **power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed.**

BATH TUBS—$27.00. James Smith Plumbing and Heating Co. Hanamo 560 Kane Building. A2-S2

FOR SALE—tomatoes for canning, at my gardens in Burlington Junction Tuesday, August 7. $1.20 per bushel. D. B. Warren. 2-6*

FOR SALE—Cucumbers for pickling and table use. Phone your order. Hanamo 3268. H. England. 4tf

FOR SALE—Large dwelling, suitable for keeping roomers or high school students. Close in. In good neighborhood. For references inquire of Democrat-Forum. 4-10

FOR SALE—Velvet rug 6x9, good condition, 316 S. Main, after 6 o'clock. 6-8*

FOR SALE—A few more shoats, good ones, H. England, Hanamo 3268. 6tf

FOR SALE—Republic 1½ ton truck. George McMurry. 6-8

FOR SALE—Stroller baby buggy, good condition. Hanamo 4640. 2-6

FOR SALE—2 yearling Shorthorn bulls. E. E. Rolin, phone Arkoe. 3-6*

MISCELLANEOUS

BUY, SELL OR EXCHANGE—Stoves, furniture and rugs. Case Furniture Exchange. A2-S2

FOUND—license No. 149-426. Owner call Democrat-Forum and pay for adv. 3-6

LOST—Silk umbrella from car in northwest part of town. Return to this office. 3-6*

WANTED—Sewing to do, Mrs. Arno Fanning, 616 S. Fillmore street. 3-8*

WANTED—Traveling salesman to sell highest grades Illinois and Missouri coals as a side line; commission basis only. Central Coal & Supply Co., Moberly, Mo. 4-11

WANTED TO RENT—House furnished or unfurnished, by Sept. 1. Hanamo 3614 or write, Ira Alkire, Forest City, Mo. 4-10*

LOST—A cravenette raincoat between the Lasher school house and Maryville. Red inside, belt in pocket. Finder please notify Bert Strickler, Skidmore. 4-7

LOST—License No. 108-424. Call Democrat-Forum. 4-7*

FOUND—Ring of keys, Yale and Ford keys in bunch. Inquire Democrat-Forum. 6-8

LOST—Fancy hair comb, set with blue stone. Return to this office. 6

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 322 West Second street, Hanamo 3121. 6-8

LOST—Traveling bag from car about 12 miles north Bovard corner, return to Democrat-Forum. 6-8

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, Wilson 128 So. Main, Hanamo 3288. 6-7*

WANTED—Good small farm, well located; in exchange for one of the best homes in Maryville, clear, substantial, modern, ten rooms, shade, pasture, garden and fruit, on paved street. Ideal location, splendid neighbors. See, or address Owner, Care Democrat-Forum. 6-11*

FOR RENT—Three rooms furnished for light housekeeping. Mrs. Wm. Doran, 204 S. Vine, Farmers 174-11. 4-7

SALESMAN—No experience necessary, big commission, for particulars address Box 32, Maryville, Mo. 6-8*

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THE JOY OF THE DAY

I am glad today though I know not why—
Glad as ever can be!
With never a shadow to cross my path,
Just happy and glad and free!

The sun is abroad, not even a cloud
To float across the sky,
I am glad I am here and I want to live,
But I could not tell you why.

Tomorrow may come in purple hue,
I may even be sick and sad,
But that cannot mar my pleasure now—
Thank God that today I am glad!

—Gertrude Callaghan.

TO REPRODUCE SNAKE DANCE

Arizona Citizens Will Stage Elaborate Ceremonial Originating With the Hopi Indians.

For two years citizens of Prescott, Ariz., have reproduced the rain ceremonial of the Hopi Indians, the snake dance, by means of which this desert tribe indicates its compliance with the commands of its principal deity. The third reproduction of the snake dance by white men, students of the Indian ritual and long practiced in the art of its steps and chants, will take place in June. A reproduction of a Hopi village will be constructed of light material, but without a detail lacking, even to the sun-curing meat hanging from walls. "With such a background, the white men perform a dance they hope to preserve from the altering hand of time," says a writer in Popular Mechanics magazine.

It is desired to add to and expand this Indian pageantry so that by 1926, when the rest of America is rehearsing the landing of the Pilgrims, the signing of the Declaration of Independence, and the founding of New Amsterdam by the Hollanders 300 years ago, there will be in the Southwest a pageant going back still farther. It may deal with the Indian account of the creation—something oddly like our own biblical one. It will seek to probe the history, buried in legends, fireside tales, myths, religious rites and tribal traditions that hold the key to the earliest inhabitants of the southern Rocky mountains.

FUNERAL SPLENDOR IN VENICE

Wealthy Dead Carried Through the Canals of the City in Style That Is Picturesque.

A Venetian funeral displays that picturesque and romantic character which has always been associated with the ceremonies of the city, which still remains one of the most religious places in Italy, says Wide World Magazine. The grandeur of the special funeral barge varies, of course, with the means of the family, those hired by the wealthy being very magnificent. Such a barge is 50 feet in length and propelled by four gondoliers in uniforms of black velvet. From end to end it is lavishly decorated with gilded mouldings of floral design, skulls and crossbones, and so on. At the bow is an angel with outstretched wings, leaning on a broken pillar, and at the stern is another gilded figure of Time with his scythe and hour-glass. The canopy in the center, covering the coffin, is supported by gilded angels, and at the corners of the roof burn four candles.

The body is conveyed to the cemetery island, the only burial ground of the city.

SURE!

First Fish—Well, here's another letter.
Second Fish—Another letter?
First Fish—Sure, didn't someone just drop us a line?

Almost Fatal Addition to Bread.

Eating a piece of buttered bread, which he had dropped into the yard of his home, nearly proved fatal for a three-year-old boy of Bolton, Conn. The child began bleeding at the mouth and throat and besides almost choking to death became violently ill. Investigation showed the bread had dropped butter-side down on a pile of finely broken glass and one of the larger pieces had severed a blood vessel in the throat.

Gold in Stomach of Goose.

The goose that a Tarentorus (Ont.) farmer killed the other day was not exactly the goose that laid the golden egg, but, for all that, it was what might be called gold-bearing. When the bird was being dressed for the table, inspection revealed two pieces of a hard yellow substance. The farmer took the two samples to two local jewelers, both of whom said they were gold.

Record Barrel Built.

The world's record barrel, even larger than the historic "Heidelberger Fass," which contained 550,000 gallons, has just been turned out in Lahr, near Baden Baden, Germany. It will hold 625,000 gallons, but, unlike the other, will be used for chemicals, not wine.

Not "Spirit Rappings."

Mysterious tappings in the vicinity of a foot-bridge at Cranleigh (Eng.) railway station aroused suspicion. Officials kept watch, and discovered the noise was caused by a chaffinch. The bird alights on a lamp-post and pecks at its reflection in the glass.

His Move

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The County Court is in Session Today

The county court in session this afternoon will go over the semi-annual settlement of Mrs. Edith Glenn, county treasurer.

The road petition in Lincoln township of Elmer A. Orman, Dana O. Carpenter, E. B. Crain and others will come up Friday. The county highway engineer was ordered by the court to view, mark out and survey the right of way and make estimate of cost.

The court approved the following bonds of township collectors:

Atchison township, Cora B. Clary, collector, for $72,000 with J. N. Billingsley, J. F. Wolfe, James Milbank, Annie Clary, Guy O. Clary, Edith Linebaugh, B. C. Souers, A. F. Mutti, W. H. Steiter as sureties.

Grant, Jessie Goforth, collector, for $68,999 with J. G. Skidmore, I. E. Wohlford, I. C. Roelofson, M. M. Pollard, W. H. Goforth as sureties.

Green, Ethel Hoyt, collector, for $81,000, with A. B. Graham, Wroe Carpenter as sureties.

Independence, Zeph Crenshaw, collector, for $89,000 with W. F. Welch, C. F. Sisson, J. W. Kennedy, John O'Ray, E. J. Klaas, Wm. Killion, A. J. Milligan, O. M. Dixon, Simon Dixon, L. A. Nigh as sureties.

Jackson, Hallie Bradley, collector, for $113,000, with J. S. Casteel, Isaac Barton, J. W. Dack, George B. Loomis, John Steiger, J. W. Spoonemore as sureties.

Jefferson, Gertrude Walsh, collector, for $61,000, with John F. Sturm, J. W. Sturm, W. J. Walsh, and Nick Sturm as sureties.

Lincoln, Nellie Price, collector, for $83,000 with D. D. Hutchings, T. R. Livengood, E. O. James, Platt Colvin, C. C. Younger, H. E. Anderson, Bert Messbarger, E. A. Teuscher, George Mowry, J. W. McClaren, Glenn McClaren, Letha McClaren, George P. Shoptaugh as sureties.

Monroe, Charles H. Geyer, collector for $68,000 with H. W. Montgomery, J. O. Miller, G. L. Owens, George L. Manchester, J. E. Pierpoint, A. C. Dodds as sureties.

Nodaway, Mary Dollison, collector, with R. N. Barber, A. F. Stitt, T. A. Corken, M. Carter and C. J. Rees as surities.

Polk, Mrs. Bess Thorp, collector, for $290,000 with Joseph Jackson, S. G. Gillam, James B. Robinson, George L. Wilfley, E. E. Williams, George B. Baker, Fred P. Robinson, and W. C. Pierce as sureties.

Here From Freeport, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hull and small adughter, Jean Marie of Freeport, Ill. who arrived in Maryville Saturday for a short visit at the home of Mr. Hull's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hull will leave tonight for their home. Mr. Hull is credit manager of the W. T. Raleigh Company there.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

LOST—Black leather cigarette case containing 10 dollar bill, and 2 one dollar bills. Probably on Maryville Savannah road, Sunday. Return to Democrat-Forum. Reward. 6-7*

My office will be closed from August 2 to Aug. 10. I am on my vacation.

S. S. MURDOCK,
Chiropractor.

Maryville Commandery No. 40 K. T.

Regular conclave tonight at 8 o'clock sharp. Short business session.

C. F. REMUS, E. C.
ED HAMLIN, Recorder.

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, Aug. 6—CATTLE—Receipts, 20,000.

HOGS—Receipts, 60,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 18,000.

St. Louis, Aug. 6—CATTLE—Receipts, 11,000.

HOGS—Receipts, 12,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 3,000.

Kansas City, Aug. 6—CATTLE—Receipts, 40,000.

HOGS—Receipts, 10,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 8,000.

St. Joseph, Aug. 6—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,500.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,500; top, $7.45.

SHEEP—Receipts, 3,500.

All steady.

TODAY'S MARKET

Butterfat, per lb	32c
Eggs per dozen	19c
Springs, per lb	20c and 25c
Hens per lb	18c
Roosters, per lb	6c
Ducks, per lb	11c
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Hides, per lb	4c

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MANY PANACEAS FOR LOW WHEAT

FROM MANY SOURCES DIFFERENT REMEDIES ARE SUGGESTED

LOAN ON STORED WHEAT

Suggested As One with Government Sanction—Would Also "Feed" Wheat To Market

Editor's Note—Wheat growers hope to prevent in future a recurrence of the recent precipitate drop in the price of their product by these devices:

1. To "feed" the wheat to the market as the demand warrants, rather than glutting the market in the first few months following the harvest.

2. To take advantage of Government assistance to help them finance this program.

3. To seek government sanction of a plan to regard the farmer's own storage facilities as "bonded warehouses," and to employ certificates issued against the stored wheat as collateral for loans.

The program is similar in many respects to the successful method now employed by Southern cotton growers.

The only possibility of a miscarriage of the programme, according to opinions voiced in some quarters, is that the Government will demur at permitting the withdrawal of large quantities of grain from the market to stabilize the price and at the same time finance the crop movement. Government sanction of the proposal to designate the farmers' storage facilities as "bonded warehouses" is another point over which some discussion has arisen.

By DOUGLAS G. TINSLEY
International News Service Staff Correspondent

Chicago, Aug. 4—Overwhelmed by the downward plunge of wheat prices to below the dollar mark in the last few weeks, the American wheat grower plans to strike back at the forces of adversity and seek prevention of a recurrence.

This safeguard, they believe, lies in preventing future glutting of the market due to over production and the untimely throwing of enormous quantities of grain on the market. This they hope to achieve by withdrawal of approximately 200,000,000 bushels of surplus wheat from the coming over the crop year. Orderly marketing instead of dumping ca nturn the wheat crop from the loss which now threatens into a profit."

Would Use Farm Storage

According to officials of the bureau the project will involve $150,000,000. This plan will be financed under the new Intermediate Credits act, through which $660,000,000 is made available to the farmers of the country.

The storage-on-farm plan of the Federation will be advanced through its forty-six State farm bureaus, 2,000 county farm bureaus, 20,000 township units and 1,500,000 members in cooperation with the commodity marketing associations and the country banks. The money is to be loaned at 5½ per cent interest.

Through this method, according to O. E. Bradfute, an official of the Farm Bureau, the wheat grower would borrow through the intermediate credit system up to three-fourths of the market value of wheat, with the warehouse receipts as collateral.

"Wheat selling below $1 a bushel is a national tragedy in America," Bradfute said. "It is a tragedy not only to the farmer who grows the wheat at a loss, but also to the consumer—the business man and the laborer—who must ultimately depend on the farmer's wheat dollar for their continued prosperity and happiness.

Favor Co-Operative Marketing

"The American Farm Bureau Federation believes that cooperative marketing is the ultimate solution to the national wheat price problem. We are now at work on a national cooperative grain marketing policy, being formulated upon instructions from our members.

"Under this plan the growers of the nation will, in effect, place their grain in a common bin and will merchandize it in orderly ways over the consumptive period instead of dumping it on an already overloaded market during the four months following harvest.

"Co-operative marketing of wheat will unquestionably solve the price problem to the benefit of both producer and consumer. But except in a few sections, the Southwest and the Northwest, co-operative marketing is not ready to meet the present wheat crisis.

"Fortunately we have ready at hand the machinery, which if permitted to function, will enable our farmers to store their wheat and hold it for orderly distribution. We refer to the new Intermediate Farm Credit provided by the last session of Congress.

Government Sanction Needed

"Under the warehouse law the Secretary of Agriculture may rule, if he sees fit, that a proper farm storehouse, a wheat granary in this case, be designated as a U. S. bonded warehouse.

"The farmer may then put his wheat in a bonded bin on his own farm, lock it and deliver the key to the official warehouseman and receive a lawful bonded warehouse receipt for his grain.

"The Federation believes that such action on the part of the organized farmers of the nation will demonstrate that there is nothing in the wheat situation on the supply side of the market which can justify the present disastrous price. Output of wheat in the United States has increased since before the war at the same rate as population. World surpluses for the post-war years average only 7,000,000 bushels more than for the average of five pre-war years.

"European wheat importing countries are producing at least 200,000,000 bushels less than before the war.

"In both Europe and the United States there has been a decline in the per capita consumption. This emphasizes the necessity for American agriculture to press to a conclusion a programme of orderly marketing."

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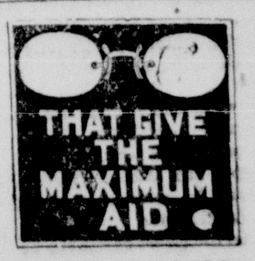

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FARM BLOC WILL AID AGRICULTURE

SAID CONGRESSMAN L. J. DICKINSON THIS AFTERNOON

LEGISLATION NO CURE

Filipino Company Pleases Audience With Variety Of Selections—To Appear Again Tonight

A prelude concert by the Filipino Company opened this afternoon's program of the chautauqua. A number of delightful numbers were given. There are four members in this musical organization, each of which is an artist in his particular line. The Filipino Company will give a prelude entertainment to tonight's address by Dr. Thomas E. Green.

With a lucid, straight-forward talk, Congressman L. J. Dickinson of Iowa, provided his hearers with a glass-bottom boat in which to look through the water of red tape and terminology and at the bottom of those political problems which are peculiar to agriculture. Though perhaps in the same general field as the lecture given yesterday afternoon by W. E. Daley, the address given this afternoon by Congressman Dickinson was in no wise a duplication. The one presented agricultural problems from the farmer's point of view, the other from the point of view of the interested and sincere politician.

"Legislation is no cure-all for economic conditions," he said. "You could take all the physicians of the Mayo hospitals and all the surgeons of Missouri and bring them to attend a man with a broken leg. But they could not make it possible for that man to stand on his injured member the next morning. They could place the bones so that they would knit and they could bandage the limb so that it would heal. They could ease the pain. But that is all they could do. And so it is with legislation in the problems which confront us today. It can go ahead and clear the way. It can adjust so that maladjustment will heal quickly, but can do no more."

With these remarks, the speaker began the presentation of his facts. He explained the name "farm bloc," which, he said, had been applied by newspaper writers of the east to an organized attempt in congress to obtain legislation calculated to better the economic condition of the farmer of the west and middle west. There was no intention on the part of those writers, according to his remarks, to have the name one which would reflect credit or favor upon the movement. He further pointed out that, although the farm bloc has furnished no occasion for a belief that it is radically inclined, the same group of writers who christened it, pointed to every radical who came upon the horizon at Washington as a member of the farm bloc.

He then pointed out some of the accomplishments of the bloc and some of its hopes of further accomplishment. He dwelt upon the new farm loan arrangements which give the farmer 33 years in which to meet his obligations and furnish a means of easy payment in the 33 years. He explained the part the national treasury played in helping the farmer of the middle west through the depression of the last two years.

He urged the control of prices of his products, by the farmer himself. "The speculator in wheat has no part in our economic system," he said. "If the farmer will regulate and control thirty-five percent of his sales products, he will regulate and control the price of that commodity." He pointed out new possibilities in this direction which recent legislation has brought about. Hitherto the farmer has been compelled to dispose of the greater part of his harvest within sixty days after it has been gathered. He has been compelled to do this because of financial obligations. He suggested the solution of this through the use of government warehouses and the borrowing of money on the stored crop.

He argued for a triple transportation system: railways, nationally controlled waterways and state controlled waterways and state controlled truck sysems. To make this legislation is needed. Laws favoring the railways make water systems in the country prohibitive. He made a strong appeal for the use of the Mississippi and Missouri rivers as water ways. In contradiction of the argument that the cost would be great make the rivers navigable, he cited the Panama canal, constructed at a cost of $400,000,000, an dnow bringing into the treasury of the United States between $4,000,000 and $5,000,000 every month.

He discussed briefly the sugar situation. As long as cost of production does not enter as a factor in determining the price of commodities, he said it will be impossible to grow crops only where they can be grown at the lowest cost. So it is with the sugar in this country. That which is produced from cane or beets grown in the country, the price is not too high. But when the native supply runs out and we are called upon to use the products of Cuba, over which the government has no control, the speculator makes his profit.

"I am happy to say," he spoke, "that since the manipulator got busy on the price of sugar, the consumption has fallen off 40 per cent. I thank God that the people of this country have one way to avoid the profiteer."

ALL CREEDS BOW IN SILENT PRAYER

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compromising stand on the subject of prohibition. Of course, he received the persecutions of the liquor forces but he made his tsand against liquor all the more effective by leading an example of personal sobriety as well as political, and thereby goes down into American history as one, who dared to take a stand and fight for a great cause, when it was perhaps the most debated question before the people.

"It is our earnest hope and prayer that our nation may continue to follow this great leader in all these good things, that we may not lose the guidance of the White House in the coming to the presidency of Calvin Coolidge. We rejoice in Mr. Coolidge's religious tendencies and pledge to him our interests and sympathies, as he "carries on" the program so notably begun by his predecessor."

A prayer was offered for the funeral party particularly Mrs. Harding and the bereaved father.

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Hyde Requests Services be Held Friday

Jefferson City, Aug. 6.—Governor Hyde, W. A. Raupp, adjutant general, Dr. Cortez F. Enloe, secretary of the state board of health, and Don C. McVey of Trenton, left here Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral of the late President Harding. Before leaving, the governor issued a proclamation asking that all public offices be closed and business in so far as possible be suspended the day of the funeral.

The proclamation:

Whereas, Warren G. Harding, late President of the United States of America, has been called from his labors to the reward of faithful and patriotic service, and

Whereas, the heart of the nation is bowed down with weight of its crushing loss, and

Whereas, it is altogether fitting and proper that tributes of respect be paid to the memory and service of our late President;

Now, therefore, I, Arthur M. Hyde, governor of the state of Missouri, do hereby request that Friday, August 10, 1923, all public offices be closed, that business activities close so far as possible, and that the people assemble in their places of worship to beseech the comfort and blessing of Almighty God upon the United States of America.

Mrs. Forrest Faut and baby daughter, Mildred Yvonne of Brookfield, who have been guests for a month at the home of Mrs. Faut's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Evans, will return home Wednesday.

Miss Hazel Frede and Miss Hattie Culver will leave Friday to visit Miss Opal Thummel for a couple weeks at her home near Parnell. From there they will go to visit Miss Frede's sister, Mrs. Arlo Vanscoy at Bedford, Ia.

Mrs. H. T. Crane Sustains a Broken Hip

Mrs. H. T. Crane, who sustained a broken hip Friday when she fell at her home on West First street, was taken to the St. Francis hospital yesterday afternoon. An X-ray was taken and it was found that the hip was broken and badly bruised. Mrs. Crane will remain at the hospital for treatment. Her daughter, Mrs. E. T. Rasmussen of Riverton, Neb., who has been spending the summer on the Rasmussen ranch near Denver, Colo., arrived in Maryville Saturday evening.

Mrs. Crane has been in failing health for some years. She was alone at the time of her fall, and had started to walk across the room when she fainted and fell. Mr. Crane on his return from town, found her there a short time afterward.

Sells Land Near Graham

Rebecca J. Cook has sold to Sarah Bessie Goldsberry, 200 acres of land, five miles south of Graham. The price stated in the deed was $1 and other valuable consideration.

Returns From Vacation

Miss Marie Sturm, an employee of the Yehle Dry Goods Company, has returned from a two weeks vacation trip in Belleville, Ill., and St. Louis.

Ex-President Wilson May Ride in Cortege

Washington, Aug. 6.—Woodrow Wilson authorized the statement today that he "will participate as far as possible" in the funeral ceremonies here Wednesday for President Harding.

The extent of the ex-president's participation was not made known, but the statement was taken to mean that he at least would ride in the funeral cortege from the White House to the capitol. Whether he will attend the services in the rotunda, probably will depend upon his physical condition at that time.

Fifth President to be Buried in Ohio

Washington, D. C. Aug. 6—President Harding will be the fifth chief executive whose body has found a last resting place in the soil of Ohio.

William Henry Harrison, the ninth President was the first to be burried in that state, interment being made at North Bend. Hayes was buried at Freemont; Garfield at Cleveland, and McKinley at Canton.

Four of the five died in office, Garfield and McKinley falling before assassins' bullets and Harrison dying from bilious pleurisy, after serving only one month of his term.

NOTICE TO ALL MASONS

All Masons are requested to meet at the I. O. O. F. Hall at 9 o'clock Friday morning for the purpose of attending the memorial service of President Harding. We will form in a body and will march in the funeral march which will be formed at the federal building.

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El Dorado Springs is Mecca for Afflicted

Famous Health Resort Is 42 Years Old—Thousands Of Visitors Annually

El Dorado Springs, Mo., Aug. 6—El Dorado Springs celebrated its forty-second anniversary June 25 this year as a mecca for health seekers from all parts of the United States. The story of the discovery goes that a man and his wife were searching the central western United States for a place where they could regain their health and they found the springs at what is now El Dorado Springs, so they settled there.

Since the discovery nearly a half a century ago this region has been a home for health seekers. It is estimated that many thousand visitors come to El Dorado Springs every year for health and pleasure. The exact number is not known.

The El Dorado water is the only diuretic water known which acts directly upon the secretions of the liver, kidneys and generative organs. Competent chemists have analyzed the water and found it to contain invaluable medicinal properties.

Harvey McClary of St. Joseph spent Sunday in Maryville the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jackson.

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Attention, Elks

All Elks are requested to assemble at the Club Rooms promptly at 9:00 a. m. for the purpose of attending the Memorial Service for our late President, Warren G. Harding at the Chautauqua tent on Friday, August 10, 1923 at 9:30 a. m.

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